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REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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## MAIL STOP RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

	Application Number		10/015,684
	Confirmation Number		8061
	Filing Date		December 17, 2001
	First Named Inventor		Kazuo KURODA
	Group Art Unit		2145
	Examiner Name		Jason D. Cardone
	Matter Number		Q67641
		NETWORK	GAME SYSTEM AND
	Title	NETWORK GA	ME PROVIDING METHOD

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114				
<ul> <li>a. □ Previously submitted</li> <li>i. □ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116</li> <li>previously filed on</li> </ul>				
ii. □ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on iii.□ Other				
b. ☑ Enclosed i. ☑ Amendment/Reply ii. □ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)				
iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. ☑ Petition for Extension of Time v. ☐ Other				
2. MISCELLANEOUS  a.   Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months  b.   Other				
3. FEES  A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.				
CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS				
Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below:				
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Name Grant K. Rowan  Registration No. 41,278  Signature May 9, 2006				